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Subject: Re: FW: the future

Kamyar,

I have read BJ's memo a few times trying to figure how to respond to it. Finally, I have something that may be useful to you.

BJ's discussion sounds like a series of points that could be included in some narrative information in Scenarios and Responses. I have looked over that section of Chapter 3 and there is not much in the way of narrative information, similar to the points that BJ is discussing.

Having said that, I believe many of BJ's points relate to his orientation toward more supply development as differentiated from the enviros' orientation toward more conservation. Therefore, if you use his comments in the Scenarios/Responses, I think they can be parsed between Scenario 1 (Current Trends) and Scenario 3 (Resource Intensive) since the comments include some of both, and you will need some equivalent supporting narrative information for Scenario 2 (High Resource Sustainability). We will be happy to compose some narrative information that could be used in that scenario, if you like. I think Scenario/Response descriptions of that sort would allow each of the different group's biases to be recorded in a non judgmental manner.

On another subject, Jonas was famous for pointing out that the Advisory Committee had about 80% agreement and that the only real divisive issue was to: "add more surface storage or not to add more surface storage." Is there anywhere in the narrative information of the plan that gives direct and forthright visibility to this issue/subject? It's not just an Advisory Committee issue, it's a statewide issue and on the minds and thoughts of all constituents. Although I have recently gone over lots of the chapters, I did not see the subject covered. If it is not covered, it should be and right up front - Chapter 1 or 2, certainly the Exec Summary. If it is covered, point me to the Chapter or Section. Thanks.

Hope the above is useful.

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